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 App. No : 10/564,453
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 For : POSITIVE PHOTORESIST
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 FORMING RESIST PATTERN
 Examiner : Unassigned
 Art Unit : Unknown

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Mail Stop Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

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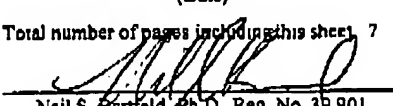
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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination on the merits, please amend the above-referenced application
as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2
of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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